DOWN WITH A THUD

The Wind Blows Over a Building in Chicago

KILLING AND INJURING MANY

A Terrific Cyclone Strikes the Town Completely Ruining a Large New Building-The Dead and Injured.

CHICAGO, April 1 .- A terrific wind and thunder storm passed over the city at 6 o'clock tonight, wrecking buildings, demolishing outhouses and prostrating telegraph wires. A seven story brick building at Nos. 14 and 16 Pearce street, West Side, was struck by the wind and croshed like an egg-shell. The building was surrounded by one and two-story frame and brick buildings, the homes of laboring men, which were also wrecked, killing and injuring the occupants. The killed are: David Hulett, 6 months old; Horace Mott, 5 years, Eddie Mott, 2 years. Fatally injured: Alice Hulett, 3 years, crushed about the legs, body and head. Patally injured: Alice Hulett, 3 years, crushed about the legs, body and head. Mrs. Ada Keown, viating at the residence of Thomas Hulett, was buried beneath a mass bricks. Mary Wigant, crushed terribly about legs and body; Horace Wigant, infant, crushed about head; James Mott, crushed about the head; Mrs. James Mott, badly bruised, mangled; James Mott, 12 years, back hurt, otherwise injured; Mamie Mott, 10 years, bad wounds on head; James McGowan, wife and son William, 10 years old, are suppased to be buried in the ruins. The building was a brick front, on Pearce street, and was 118 feetlong by 50 feet wide. It had just been erected and was practically completed, the roof having been finished this week. It was the center of a mass of one and two-story frame buildings of one and two-story frame buildings occupied by poor people. Immediately in the rear of the building was a two-story brick. The home of Thomas Hulett, who lived there with his wife and nine who hved there with his wire kild him children. They were at supper enter-taining as guests Miss Emma Hope, a relative and her friend, Mrs. Ada Known. When the building fell the force of the terrible mass of brick, iron, wood and plaster seemed directed rearward, completely burying the struc-ture. All of the inmates were killed or

CHICAGO, April I.—The following is a complete list of the dead: Mrs. Eliza Allen; Mrs. J. L. Gowan; William Gowan; Mary Gowan; David Gotett; Edward Mott; Horace Mott; Mary Walsh had not been found at 2 a. m. The injured are: James Gowan, Alice Pulett, Mrs. Ada Keown, James Mott. mortally injured; Mrs. Jas. Mott. s-so fatally hurt; Jane Mott, may die; Mamie Mott, probably live: Horace Wigant, will die; Mary Wigant, will die; Horace Wigant, will die; Mrs. El-Horace Wigant, will die; Mrs. Ellen Gleason, slightly mjured;
Mrs. Kate O'mannessy, slightly;
Mark Seavy, cut about head; several
of Seavy's family slightly injured; Mrs.
Frank Gillenney, slightly; Harry
Wascoe, arm cut; Jacob Jacques, cut
about head and arms; Henry Johnson, seriously burt.

TORNADO SWEPT KANSAS, Much Property and Many Lives Lost in the Awful Wind Storm.

KANSAS CITY, April 1.- Reports are just arriving of a terrible loss of life and destruction of property by a tornado which swept over Kansas last night. Towards, Kas., was completely wiped out. Thirty persons are said to to have met death. Augusta, Kas., is partly wrecked, and five persons are reported killed. Weilington and Kiowa are much damaged. No loss of life is reported at the former place. In addition to loss of life a great number of persons were injured. Every effort is being made to obtain the particulars, but wires are down in all directions.

KANSAS CHY, April 1 .- Butler county is greatly damaged and five people ar reported killed and fifteen wounded The wires are all down west of Topeka and it is impossible to get a verification of the reports, but no doubt the storm is very severe. Ottawa, Olathe and Salina, report severe winds which blew down many houses, destroyed much property, injuring several people, but causing no deaths. At St. Joseph, Mo., several large houses were unroofed and three people were injured. At Leavenworth, Kan., the opera house and two large manufacturing establish-ments were unroofed and many plate glass windows were destroyed. Re-ports from western Kansas are very meagre on account of the lack of wire facilities, but it is evident that much damage has been done with a great loss

Des Motses, In., April 1 .- A terrific south wind prevailed all over lows this afternoon, which was especially destructive to property in the west half of the state. The loss is so badly scattered that the aggregate is difficult to estimate, but will not be less than \$150,000 in Des Moines alone. A falling chimney broke through the roof of the State Register building, severely injuring a printer working at the case.

New Hard in Missours.

Sr. Locus, April 1 .- A heavy wind storm which passed over the city shortly after I o'clock this afternoon caused considerable damage to prop-erty in the southern portion of the city. While the workmen were at work on a While the workmen were at work on a building on South Broadway, the west wall was blown down by the gale and one of the loborers was seriously and four others alightly hurt. The wind blew fifty miles an hour, and was followed by a beavy rain storm.

Nebraska Lost Enormously.

OMANA, April 1 .- Meagre reports show that the damage all over the state caused by the storm is enormous. Many fatalities and narrow escapes are reported. Owing to wires being down it a almost impossible to obtain accurate estimates of damage or number of

NICARAGUA CANAL SOLD.

Flaglet. Austin, Mackay, Corbin and Andrew Carpegie Buy Stock.

New York, April L.-H. M. Flagler. John W. Mackey, Austin Corbin and Andrew Carnegie have gone into the Nicaragus Canal Construction company, and it is understood they are to the Westers Presbyterian church and took part as usual. Returning home he are, an erry change in which is expected. Mr. Carnegie bought a large block of the company's stock before

Marner Miller, the president of the company, speaking on the subject, mid the fact that the gentlemen mentioned had entered the company would increase the confidence of the people in the undertaking. Mr. Miller said his position was changed with regard to government control of the canal. He is not soliciting the government to guarantee the bonds and assume direction of the enterprise. His nursession rection of the enterprise. His purpose is to go shead and build the great canal by private capital.

EXPLOSION ON A TRAIN.

Eria Passengers Have a Narrow Escape-

Two Cars Burned Up. LINA, O., April 1 .- An unusual acci nt occurred on the west-bound Erie train last evening. Just after leaving New Portage the conductor began col-lecting tickets. When he reached the closet at the end of the car he opened it to see if anyone was inside. He there was a terrific explosion. The conductor was hurled against the opposite The car immediately caught stopped the coach and one sleeper were in flames. The passengers had barely time to escape and lost all of their ef-fects in the burning cars. The sleeper and coach were detached and were entirely consumed. The explosion was probably caused by a leak in one of the gas reservoirs in the closet.

TRAINING THE CHAMPION. An Offer Made to Install Him at Massina

Near Syracuse. SYBACUSE, N. Y., April 1 .- Yank Sullivan is trying to induce Charley Johnston to bring John L. Sullivan to Syracuse to train for the fight with Corbett. It is said that Johnston has been made a very tempting proposition. The training quarters would be at Messina Springs, four miles outside of Syracuse. There is a country club bouse, adjacent to which is a mile course. Messina Syracuse and the course of the free outside sina Springs is on the freight line of the New York Central railroad and would therefore be inaccessible to a crowd. It is a delightful spot in a littie valley of its own, where a fighter would get lots of fresh air and plenty of room to run and roam. He could be nicely cared for at the club house, which is well kept. Charley Johnston is to stop in Syracuse to look over the

Fatal Duel in Missouri.

Sr. Louis, April 1 .- Two bank operators, James Ketchum and Monroe Guion, fought a duel at Creve Cour Lake yesterday. Ketchum was armed with a shotgun and Guion with a re-volver. The fight was at thirty paceand all the regulations of a first-clasduel were strictly observed. Both men fired two shots and Guion fell mortally wounded, the shot taking effect in his abdomen. The men fought because of a quarrel over some trivial affair.

Tim Hopkins Resigns.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 1 .- Timothy Hopkins has resigned his position as treasurer of the Southern and Central Pacific railroads. The two boards met to receive the resignation. There are rumors that he would have been dis-N. T. Smith, assistant treasurer of the two companies, and H. E. Huntington, nephew of C. P. Huntington, are men-tioned as possible successors.

Has Sold to New York Parties.

PHILADELPHIA, April 1 .- The report that A. J. Cassatt has disposed of his interest in the Monmouth Park assofirmed by an official of the Pennsylvania Railroad company, who said that Mr. Caseatt some time ago contem plated withdrawing from the association, and that the interests of the estate of William L. Scott will probably be closed out at the same time.

Victory for Esherites.

CLEVELAND, April 1 .- The circuit court this morning decided the Evangelical church case brought by the Dubs faction to test the right of the officers of the book concern of the church, elected by the Indianapolis general conference, to hold office. The court, all three judges concurring. holds that the general conference was the lawful body, and decided in every respect against the plaintiffs.

Death From Heart Failure. DEADWOOD, S. D., April 1 .- Colonel Frederick Thompson died suddenly yesterday of heart failure, aged 63 years. Mr. Thompson was born in Pennsylvania in 1828. He went to Broadhead, Wis., in 1830, where he lived until 1876, when he came to the

Black Hills. He was a member of the Wiscousin legislature in 1858 and 1860. Charged With Matricide.

GALVERON, Texas, April 1 .- Sheriff Ellis arrived here on the 7;30 train last night, and carried back with him to Houston Walter E. Shaw, son of Mrs. Shaw, who, with her sister, Mrs. Johnson, were found dead in their residence in the latter city, yesterday, with their throats cut from ear to ear.

Struck by Lightning.

MERRICE, Wis., April 1.- During a thunderstorm this morning the German Lutheran church was struck by lightning. There were fifteen children in the church at the time and two of them were quite badly burned. The bolt stunned four of the children. A horse hitched near the church was killed.

nest Her Stepchild to Death BONNE TRRE, Mo., April 1 .- Mrs. William Ryington is in jail, charged with the murder of her step-daughter. Saturday William Byingher stepton, on returning home from work, found the body of his 9-year-old daughter lying on the hearth, her body horribly burned. Mrs. Byington ex-plained that the little girl had failen into the old-fashioned fireplace. But a post mortem examination showed that the child had been beaten to death.

Washiveron, April 1.—Charles D. Drake, ex-chief justice of the court of claims, was found dead in his bed at his residence in this city. His death was entirely unexpected, as Thursday night he attended prayer meeting at the Western Preshyterian church and

NOT A DOLLAR LOST

The Herald Shows the Falsity of the Statement

THE HERALD'S WORK REVIEWED

It Has Persisted in Probing the Corruptionists and Its Reward Has Been a Complete Vinda of on Every Time.

Without weighing the probable consequences of telling the unvarnished truth, THE HERALD, at the beginning of the city campaign boldly declared itself, announcing the policy it would pursue. That policy has been adhered to with fidelity to the truth and without malice toward any man, It has insisted that the wrongs and corruption abounding in the city hall were not the creatures of imaginative parti-sanship, but cold, immoveable fact. In doing this it has been necessary to wound the sensitive feelings of some of its warmest friends. The questions asked have been construed into personal attacks, but the truth of the conciusions, in every instance, has not been assailed.

THE HERALD was the first and only paper to bring home to the the people with startling distinctness the indisputable fact that George E. Perry embezzled over \$20,000, and was

permitted to go scot free.

THE HERALD was the first and only paper to prove that the investigation of his accounts was limited to two years of his four years of service. THE HERALD was the first and only paper to demand in behalf of the peo-ple to know why the investigation was

thus confined. THE HERALD was the first and only paper to publish all the information concerning the matter obtainable from authentic sources.

THE HERALD is the first and only paper to charge that if Perry stole \$20,000 in his last two years, it is reasonable to suppose that he stole something in

his first two years.

THE HERALD IS the first and only paper courageous enough to ask that another investigation be made. For all of these public services THE HERALD has met with the silence of those in position to answer and the

abuse of its contemporaries. Other Wrongs Uncovered, THE HERALD was the first and only

paper to probe the acts of City Physician Wright and to demand his re-groval for misfeasance. A democratic administration removed him from office THE HERALD was the first and only paper to call attention to crookedness

THE HERALD was the first and only paper to force an investigation. That nvestigation resulted in the discovery that Kruse was short in his accounts with the city. He was publicly cen-

sured and disgraced.

The Herald was the first and only paper to publish the fact that John Rozema, a democratic officeholder and the democratic convention, who in a ringing speech nominated the demo-cratic candidate for mayor, is short in his accounts and is a fugitive from jus-

THE HERALD has done all these things and in return has been charged with waging a war against somebody or somebodies from malignant motives.

A Falsehood Refuted,

In closing the work of the city cam-paign THE HERALD has another duty to perform. That duty is to prove by figures that the statement, "The city has lost not a dollar by the disnonesty of democratic officials," is false and untrue. That statement was made in a public meeting of democrats by the chief executive of the city, and was reiterated in the columns of the organ of the party.
It is false and untrue in the first

place because nobody knows the exact amount of George R. Perry's embezzlements.

It is false in the second place because the experts who examined the books for two years only of his term filed a claim against the city for such \$567.50. That bill was reduced to \$500. and it was paid out of the public funds of the city, paid into the treasury by the taxpayers. It is false in the third place, because inside of five months from that time a stenographer was paid, upon the order of the council, 38 for taking stenographic notes in the Wright investigation.

Here are \$538 actually taken out of monies raised by taxing the home owners of this city for other purposes, to pay for investigating and fixing the amount of shortages in the offices of dishonest democratic officials.

Can any truthful man rise and say that the "city has lost not a dollar by the dishonesty of democratic officials? if he can and does, he deliberately

Here THE HERALD rests for the time being from its efforts to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the truth of and concerning the democratic record in municipal affairs for the years 1891-2.

YESTERDAY'S HORSE SALE.

The High-Bred Fellows Continued to Go Very Low. The horse sale is over. It has been a success. Messra. Warner and Bronson

are well pleased. The buyers say they are, too. The complete list of yesterday's sales

No. 121, Star Bell, to Franklin Lewis, 157, Prince, to M. E. Roberts,

No. 167, Magna Nobie, to W. B. Nicholson, Augusta, Mich., \$50. No. 168, Alzada, to W. B. Nicholson, Angusta, \$90.

No. 169, Glenview, Jr., to J. E. Sharp, Newaygo, \$125. No. 178, Almont Skinner, to Dr. T. F. Thornton, Sturges, \$180. No. 179, Sophomore, to Rev. J. W. Arney, Saranac, \$50.

No. 186, Zouave, to George Patton, Otsego, Mich., \$355, No. 187, Yettinger, to Thomas Mc-Gee, Detroit, \$600. No. 188, Nannette, to E. McLane, Lucan, Ont., \$350.

No. 189, Donna, to Alonzo Clement. No. 191, Henry S., to J. Vandemoler,

No. 192, Medoc, to Geo. B. Hayes,

Frankfort, Ky., \$300. No. 195, Maud P., to Milo Edison

No. 194, Fandango, to Thomas Mctiee, \$140. No. 196, Maggie M., to John P. Passage, Francisco, Mich., \$95. No. 197, Ed Morris, to Charles Hol-

den, city, \$18. No. 198, Storey, to R. Gannon, White

Cloud, Mich., \$195.
No. 199, Yoro, drawn.
No. 201, Miss Ellis, to R. Quick,
Lowell, Mich., \$70. No. 204, Kitty, to L. D. Swan, city, No. 205, Greystone, to M. C. Barry,

Constantine, \$110. No. 208, Astralia, to Irvin Wood worth, city, \$60. No. 207, Alaric Maid, to C.

No. 208, Gibson, to E. B. Dykeman, city, \$45. No. 209, Velvet, to L. F. Hunter, New

Madrid, Mo., \$125. No. 210, Frash, to Geo. S. Williams, Muskegon, \$40. No. 211, Burns Desoto, to George B. Haves, Frankfort, Ky., \$210. No. 2:4, Gold Leaf, to George Har-

per, Ionia, 870. No. 215, Lucia, to Dr. Wisse, city, \$130. No. 216, Billy, to E. Brent, city, \$75. No. 217, Lucy B, to George Harper,

No. 218, Charlie, to J. F. McCarthy, No. 219, Chestnut, to George Robens, No. 222, Isidra, to George Robens,

No. 224, Fanny Edenburg, to A. H. Kortlander, city, \$60. No. 230, Nobelity, to F. C. Baxter,

No. 231, Miss Burnham, to Dr. Wisse, No. 232, Louis B, to G.W. Woodworth,

No. 233, Fred Wood, to Edward Lauton, city, \$50.
Nos. 235, Dexter; 236, Dick; 237, Doll; 238, Kit, all owned by Phil McMichael, Middleville, Mich., were sold to H. L. Child city, \$500.

Child, city, \$500. In all 180 norses were sold yesterday at an aggregate of \$31,250,an average of \$173.50 apiece. Of the 240 animals catalogued 60 were either drawn or sold at private sale.

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A Duel in St. Louis. Sr. Louis, April 1.-Monroe Guion and James Ketchum, bar-keepers of this city, fought a duel, one being armed with a revolver and the other with a shotgun. Guion was taken home with a number of buckshot in his

A Double Tragedy

New ORLEANS, April 1 .- James Baker, of Moorhouse, La., was accused of stealing ducks by E. P. Norsworthy. He killed his accuser with a shotgu

Prominent Ex-Confederate Dead. ATLANTA, Ga., April 1 .- George N. Lester, attorney general of Georgia, is dead. He was a confederate soldier, and has held many positions of prominence. He was in the confederate con-

Bombay's Waterworks System

CALCUTTA, April 1. - After seven years work Bombay has completed a system of waterworks costing 85,250,-000; the dam forming the reservoir is 117 feet high and 1,000 feet thick at the

PORTLAND, Me., April 1.-Winifred Swan was burned to death at the Cumberland mills Thursday morning. Her clothes caught fire from a stove.

Winifred Swan Burned to Death.

SHORT SPECIALS.

The Trappist monastery at Okal, Can., has been raised to the position of Gen. James W. Singleton is lving very ill at his home in Baltimore. He is 81

years of age. Prof. H. L. Williams, of Cornell, has been appointed to succeed the venerable Prof. James D. Dana, of Yale.

Arrangements are being made for the formation of a sefe manufacturers' trust, with a capital stock of \$3,500,000. Charles A. Wright, convicted of murder at Elizabeth, N. Y., has been sen-

tenced to die in the electric chair in the week beginning May 16. J. W. Westlake, alias George Love, a noted counterfeiter, who cut his way

out of the Denver jail in 1891, has been arrested again in Montana. Conventions to select delegates to the Kentucky democratic state convention will be held in each county in Kentucky

on the afternoon of May 14. A mammoth wigwam will be erected in Muskegon, Mich., to accommodate the democratic state convention, which meets there May 4. The seating capacity of the structure will be 5,000

The separate coach bill which requires transportation companies to furnish cars for the convenience of both white and colored travelers has passed the Kentucky senate.

The Chinese government has garrisoned all the mission districts in Chins, and has promised to punish severely the perpetrators of any outrages in the future

The Ohio legislature has passed the bill redistricting the state for congressional purposes. The new act gives the republicans lifteen and the democrata six districts, just the reverse of the present apportionment.

The Kansas people's party state com mittee has called a state convention at Wichits June 18. This convention will no ninate a state ticket, a congressman at large, elect delegates to the national convention, which meets at Omaha July ., and nominate ten presidential elec-

The will of M. R. Harrison, late world's fair commissioner from Minneota, was probated Thursday at Deluth. The estate of \$1,000,000 is divided equally between the widow and daughter, iy between the woman's for the sup-after paying \$100 a month for the support of Mr. Harrison's mother and to Hejen B. Rarrison.

Comparisons Made Between Our Ways and the Ways of the Lordly Briton. Other Hotel Notes.

Wilfred Buckley of the great English firm of Saml, Buckley & Co., commission merchants, Birmingham, England, is a decidedly well-bred and intelligent young Englishman, who is a guest in Sweet's hotel. In conversation with a reporter for THE HERALD, Mr. Buckley said: "My visit to Grand Rapids is on business connected with our firm and is one of the semi-annual trips which I

make yearly through the states."

"You like America?"

"Yes, decidedly. In fact I am partly American myself, my grandfather being the Hon. M. P. Kennard, head of the United States treasury in Boston."

"How do American and English

business methods compare?"
"Well, on the other side we don't
make our money so quickly, neither do
we lose it so fast as do Americans. The English are slow to accept a new thing. It is shown them, its merits demonstrated, they look and say 'Yes!' and go away to think about it. In a year, perhaps, they come back and adopt the idea. There are fewer fail-tires in England, too, and less of the 'boom' element in business."

Gun Factories Crippled, "What branches of trade has the McKinley tariff affected?"

"The pearl button and gun industries have suffered seriously, I know, and the Belgium gun factories have

been badly crippled.' Speaking of the English mode of street transportation, Mr. Buckley said: "The street car is very little used in England, and in London they do not exist. A London business man depends entirely upon cabs. You rent them by the hour at two and sixpence, about sixty-two cents in American money. A merchant will keep the same cab for hours at a time, and this system is the cause of the crowded and animated appearance of London streets. The omnibus is another popu-lar vehicle and is much used by Ameri-can tourists, who say that London can best be seen from the top of one. We walk much more than Americans, and you will see the wealthy merchants on foot quite as frequently as any other

class. In Birmingham. Manchester and Liverpool there are a few short lines of street cars, but no English city would tolerate the system of overhead wires as in Grand Rapids. Some of the cars are run by cable, some by storage bat, tery and a few by horses. Such an in-stitution as an elevated railroad could not exist in London, as the streets are so crooked, but Londoners are very

ness in America for nearly 100 years. It belonged to my great grandfather once, and some day I suppose I'll get in.

One novel thing that strikes me, especially in this state, is the distance between the large towns. Here they are seventy-five to one hundred miles spart, but in England you cannot ride score of miles without reaching a town as large as Grand Rapids."

Notes from the Corridors. Col. R. P. Pepper of Frankfort, Ky. who has been a guest at the Morton during the Warner horse sale, left vesterday afternoon for the south. To s reporter for THE HERALD, the colone said: "I am well satisfied, in fact delighted with the success of the sale. I have disposed of my own string at good prices and I will say that I believe that Grand Rapids will shortly become one of the important horse centers of this country. It has the money, the enthusiasm and men to bring about that result. I have told Mr. Warner that when he has another sale here l will be with him again.

Judge P. P. Hoyt of Muskegon, is at

G. E. Dowling of Montague, one of Michigan's prominent and solid bankers, is at the Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Montgomery of Muskegon, dined at the Morton yester-Mr. and Mrs. John Canfield and Mrs. F. Canfield of Manistee, are at the Mor-

JOHN H. M'GILL DEAD.

Kent County Bar Adopts Appropriate

Resolutions About two weeks ago THE HERALD contained an item stating that John H. McGill, of the law firm of McGill & McGill, had gone to his father's home in White Pigeon and was prostrated with typhoid fever. He

continued to grow worse and yesterday morning ne died.

The deceased was a promising attorney and had been a resident of this city for the last five years. He was a graduate of Hillsdale college and studied law for two years with H. B. Falless. He was 28 years old, a single

man, and by his straight forward deal-ings, had made a large circle of friends. In response to a call a large number of lawyears, members of the Kent county bar, met in the circuit court room for the purpose of adopting resoutions of condolence on the death of Mr. McGill. Judge Grove was chosen chairman and Henry C. Chase secre-tary. Judge M. C. Burch presented following resolutions, which

"The sad news reached this city this morning of the death of John H. Mctill, one of the younger members of the bar of Kent county. Mr. McGill was a young man whose activity, apparent physical strength, high character and stirling worth gave promise of a long and useful life which would enable him in his professional capacity to be a benefit to the world, and to achieve socially and as a citizen a position of great credit among his fellow-

who had high hopes for his future pros-perity and who largely depended and eaned upon him for comfort in their advancing years. He was the center of a large circle of friends and acquaint acces who were accustomed to appeal to him for assistance and advice, and be had already obtained a considerable

TALK OF THE LOBBY clientage in his professional labors who believed in him as an attorney of culture, ability, integrity and good promise. His sudden death is generally regretted by the bar of this county, as he had well won the good opinion of every member of it with whom he had business or other relations. SEVERAL INTERESTING THEMES clientage in his professional labors who believed in him as an attorney of culture, ability, integrity and good promise. His sudden death is generally regretted by the bar of this county, as he had well won the good opinion of every member of it with whom he had business or other relations. "Therefore, by the members of the Kent county bar, called together for the

Kent county bar, called together for the purpose of giving some slight expres-sion of our respect, esteem and affec-tion for him, and our deep sense of loss by reason of his early and untimely

by reason of his early and untimely death, it is hereby

Resolved, That we tender to his sorrowing parents, relatives and friends our heartfelt sympathy in their affliction, adopting it in a large measure as our own; that we request that a copy of these resolutions be presented to and spread upon the records of the state and federal courts in this city, and that another comb be engrossed and transanother copy be engrossed and trans-mitted to the parents of the deceased as some slight token of the regard in which he was held by us, and as an evidence of our sympathy for them in

dence of our sympathy for them in their grievous loss.

II. B. Fallass, William Alden Smith and Myron H. Walker made eulogistic remarks supporting the resolution. The following committees were appointed to present the resolutions to the different courts in the city. United States court, Judge Burch, Messrs. Swarton and Keeney; superior court, William Alden Smith, Charles Wilson and Judge Haggerty: Kent circuit, Myron Walker. Haggerty; Kent circuit, Myron Walker, Fred C. Temple and Henry E. Chase.

BOARD OF HEALTH MEETING. Dr. Bradfield Recommends an Amend-

ment to an Ordinance. The board of health met in regular session yesterday afternoon. President Dr. Emmet Welsh, J. D. Robinson and C. W. Calkins were present. Robert W. McCormick made application for the position of milk inspector. Fred Zylman wanted a position as annitary in-spector. Rev. J. Heritage asked the board to endorse the petition presented to the council by himself and others for a sewer in Wealthy avenue, beginning at Center and running east to Fulthat he had been east and while there took occasion to examine the public morgues and was ready to volunteer any information which the board might want upon the subject. Bills amounting to \$76.59 were audited Health Officer Bradford recommended that the cemetery ordinance be amended so as to prohibit the carrying of bodies in hacks and restricting the carrying to hearses. He gave it as his opinion that it was a dangerous practice to convey the bodies of infants dying of contageous dieases in backs and thought it should be stopped.

MR. WALKER RETIRES.

His Life Has Been One of Activity in Public Affirs.

Supervisor Jacob W. Walker of Vergennes, declined a re-nomination this spring and Fred L. Hodges is the democratic candidate. Mr. Walker is a democrat and has represented his town proud of their underground railway.

Birmingham, you know, is called the workshop of the world. It is a city of 450,000 people. Hardware is the princitive terms. He was born in Canada in the year 1827 and moved to Vergennes. In 1838 where he has lived on the old in 1838 where he has lived on the old since. He has served his on the board of supervisors for twentyhomestead since. He has served his township as clerk for five years, as treasurer one year and assessor of his school district for six years. He has never failed to vote since he was 21 years old, his first presidential vote being cast for Frankim Pierce in 1852 and his last vote for president was cast for Grover Cleveland. It is believed that Mr. Walker is the oldest supervisor in Michigan in terms of service.

FAILURE IS PREDICTED. A Man Who Thinks Alcott Will Not

Succeed. A man who is well acquainted with the circumstances thus delivered himself yesterday in the presence of a reporter for THE HERALD, concerning the democratic candidate for justice of the peace: "John T. Alcott was educated for the ministry and made a failure of it. Tried making carpet Lansing in the auditor general's office and made a failure, and if elected jus-

tice of the peace will be a failure. GOLDEN EAGLE KNIGHTS.

They Will Tender a Grand Banquet

Wednesday, April 13. The annual session of the Grand Castle of the Knights of the Golden Eagle of Michigan, will be held in this city beginning Tuesday, April 12, and continuing two days: The session will be held in Maita Castle hall, corner of Pearl and Canal streets. Wednesday vening the local knights will tender a banquet to the visiting delegates at the Bridge Street house. The delegates entitled to seats in the convention are composed of past chiefs of theorder, of which there are about forty in this city. The number outside of the city

RAISES THE RATES.

The Kent County Society Will Increase Admissions.

Last year the Kent County Agricultural society sold family tickets for admission to the fair for \$2, admitted teams free and charged no admittance to the grand stand. This year a change will be made. No family lickets will be sold and twenty-five cents will be charged for teams and for a seat in the grand stand. It is thought by this method that the receipts will be materially increased. The society has decided to offer about \$12,000 in premiums this

Manager Lathron's Latest. Manager Lathrop, of the Powers opera louge, has imped a next little work filled with interesting information to the theatrical profession, as well as others who desire to know the extent and character of the city and its public places and enterprises. The book is a nandy one to have at one's elbow, and manager Lathrop is entitled to credit for its compilation and publication.

Look Out For Thieves. There is a gang of clever thiever working the city at the present time. Night before last George Spaeth's saloon on Canal street was broken into and about \$25 worth of cigars and to-bacco taken. Mike Wood's saloon, No. 28 Ellsworth avenue, was burglarized, but nothing of value found. Gustav H. Behnke's barn, in the rear of No. 30 East Bridge street, was broken into and parts of harness were found to be miss-